

PATENT



Docket No. 979-030

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : DeBuyst et al. Group Art Unit: 2833  
Serial No. : 10/650,483 Examiner: Ross N. Gushi  
Filed : August 27, 2004  
For : A CONNECTOR FOR CONNECTING TWO ELECTRICAL POWER...

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

☐ The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims*	13	-	20	=0	x 9	\$ <u>00</u>
Independent Claims	3	-	3	=0	x 42	\$ <u>0</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$260.00 to additional fee.)					\$ _____
	Total:					\$ <u>00</u>

☐ Verified Statement of "Small Entity" Status Under 37 CFR § 1.27  
filed \_\_\_\_\_. Reduced Fees Under 37 CFR § 1.9(f)  
(50% of total) paid herewith.

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\* Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to  
in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c).

- ☐ Charge \$.00 fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2825 . Order No. \_\_\_\_  
A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this amendment, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2825. Order No. 979-030.  
A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
- ☐ \_\_\_\_ Page(s) of substitute Sequence Listing
- ☐ \_\_\_\_ Computer disk(s) containing substitute Sequence Listing
- ☐ Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b) that the computer and paper copies of the substitute Sequence Listing are the same.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$.00 to cover the filing fee is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Examiner:

Ross N. Gushi

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2833

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## AMENDMENT

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**SIR:**

Please enter the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2005.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.